

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE
RESPONSE/AMENDMENT

Case Docket No. AA335

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COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an AMENDMENT for the patent application:

Application No. : 09/744,269
Applicant(s) : Takashi Sako et al
Filed : January 22, 2001
Title : Hair Conditioning Compositions
Comprising Carboxylic Acid /
Carboxylate Copolymer and
Visible Particle
TC/A.U. : 1617
Examiner : Edward J. Webman
Conf. No. : 5067

1. ☒ No additional fee is known to be required.
2. ☐ The fee has been calculated as shown below:

| | (Col. 1) | | (Col. 2) | (Col. 3) | OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY | |
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| | CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT | | HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | PRESENT EXTRA* | RATE | FEE |
| TOTAL | * 10 | MINUS | ** 10 | = 0 | x \$18 = | \$ |
| INDEP. | * 2 | MINUS | *** 2 | = 0 | x \$84 = | \$ |
| FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM | | | | | + \$280 = | \$ |
| | | | | | TOTAL | \$ |

3. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby petitioned under 37 CFR §1.136(a) to grant any extension of time needed for timely response to the Office Action dated September 15, 2003 in the above-identified application. The processing fee under 37 CFR §1.17 has been determined as follows: \$930.00 for a 3-month extension of time.

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4. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 16-2480. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

- a. ☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR §1.16.
b. ☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR §1.17.

5. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to make any additional copies of this sheet needed to accomplish the purposes provided for herein and to charge any fee for such copies to Deposit Account No. 16-2480.

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